

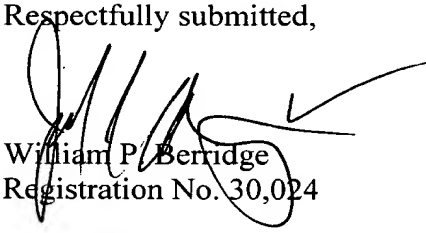
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brightness of the game image data generated by the second generating means, on the basis of
the game image data generated by the first generating means.

REMARKS

Claims 1 - 29 are pending. By this Preliminary Amendment, claims 6, 9, 10, 16, 18, 27 and 29 are amended to remove multiple dependencies. Prompt and favorable examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

The attached Appendix includes marked-up copies of each rewritten claim (37 C.F.R. 1.121(c)(1)(ii)).

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